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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph, beginning at page 4, line 11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

An authentication device according to the present invention comprises: ~~the eye~~
~~an eye~~ image pickup device ~~according to claim 1~~; an authentication information
formation unit for forming authentication information from the eye image of a user to be
authenticated entered from the eye image pickup unit; and an authentication unit for
authenticating the user by comparing and collating the authentication information with
registered authentication information which has been registered previously.